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TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No 10334/6
Serial No. 09/960,204	Filing Date September 21, 2001	Examiner Not yet assigned	Group Art Unit 1745
Inventor(s) Gintaras A. Vaisnys et al.			
Title of Invention MEDICAL DEVICE BATTERY PACK WITH ACTIVE STATUS INDICATION			

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Cover Letter (1p. Filed in Dup.); Response to File Missing Parts (2pp. Filed in Dup.); Notice to File Missing Parts (1p.); Information Disclosure Statement ( 4 pp. Filed in Dup.); Form PTO 1449 (2pp.); 36 Cited References; Check in the amount of \$606 filing fee and surcharge; Executed Declaration (2pp.); Power of Attorney (1p.) and PTO Reply Postcard.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ Petition for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra
Total	39	Minus	20	19
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Small Entity	
Rate	Add'l Fee
x \$9 =	171
x 42 =	
+ \$140 =	
Total add'l fee	\$171

Other Than Small Entity	
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x \$84 =	
+ \$280 =	
Total add'l fee	\$

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE) in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$606 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

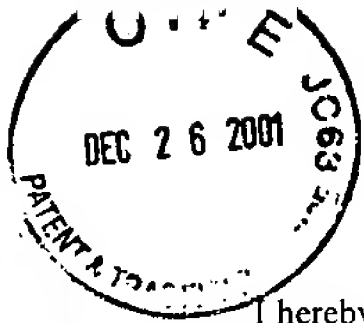
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Gintaras A. Vaisnys et al.

Serial No.: 09/960,204

Attention: Manager,  
Application Branch

Filed: September 21, 2001

For: MEDICAL DEVICE  
BATTERY PACK WITH  
ACTIVE STATUS  
INDICATION

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION  
FILING DATE GRANTED**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Attn.: Box Missing Parts

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted dated October 23, 2001, a copy of which is attached, enclosed herewith for filing are the following documents:

☒ Fully executed Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application.

☒ Applicant is:

- ☒ a small entity, verified statement is:
- ☐ attached
- ☐ already filed
- ☐ other than small entity
- ☒ Checks totaling \$606 for:
- ☒ Filing Fee of \$370.
- ☒ Surcharge of \$65.
- ☒ Additional Claim Fees of \$171.
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)) to file missing parts (in duplicate).
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

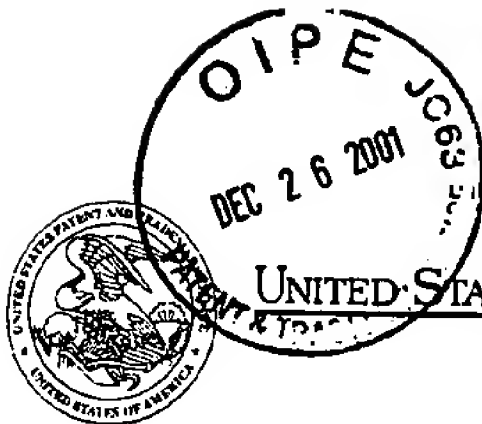
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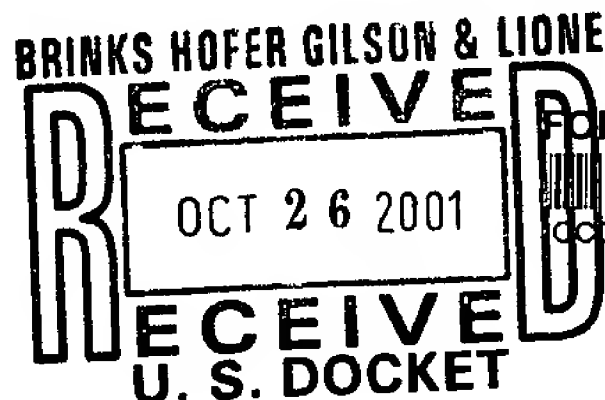
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$342.
  - \$342 for 19 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1182.

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